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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Command Policy (CP) 0-7, Facility Use by Parties That Do Not Belong To the U.S. Forces

REFERENCES:

- a. The NATO Status of Forces Supplementary Agreement, 18 March 1993
- b. USAREUR Regulation 1-3, International and Other Agreements, 22 Dec 2005.
- 2. PURPOSE: This policy regulates use of U.S controlled facilities by non-U.S. parties (e.g., Host Nation (HN) clubs, associations, municipalities, and police forces).
- 3. BACKGROUND: The HN owns the facilities that are used and controlled by the U.S. Forces in Germany. The HN provides the facilities to us for defense purposes and for the welfare of our personnel (reference 1a). Unregulated use by parties that do not belong to the U.S. Forces denies us the full and unobstructed use of the facilities, causes financial loss (since payments which might accrue to the HN or the U.S Forces from regulated use may not be not collected), reduces the likelihood that the HN will provide other facilities for our use and, above all, presents us with a liability risk.
- 4. APPLICABILITY: This policy applies to all US Army Garrison (USAG) Hessen agencies, indirect reporting garrisons, tenant organizations and all personnel within the USAG Hessen area of responsibility (AOR).
- 5. POLICY: Use of facilities within the USAG Hessen AOR by parties that do not belong to the U.S. Forces will only be permitted by a formal written agreement between HQ USAREUR/7A (the signature authority for Army in Europe international agreements), the appropriate HN authorities and the co-user.
- 6. EXCEPTIONS: This policy does not apply to activities or actions that are governed by their own respective regulations (for example, German-American fests, U.S.-sponsored events, contracts, and easement rights).
- 7. PROCEDURES: Commanders who receive requests for use of facilities will contact the USAG Hessen Government Relations Office (Agreements Manager), at DSN 323-3880, for assistance in processing the requests.

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8. This policy memo supersedes 104th ASG Command Policy CP-07, "Facility Use by Parties That Do Not Belong To the U.S. Forces," dated 27 August 2004.

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